

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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| In re Application of: |) | |
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| Bruce NOVICH et al. |) | Group Art Unit: 1798 |
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| Application No.: 09/620,523 |) | Examiner: Jill M. Gray |
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| Filed: July 20, 2000 |) | |
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| For: IMPREGNATING GLASS FIBER |) | Confirmation No.: 2899 |
| STRANDS AND PRODUCTS |) | |
| INCLUDING THE SAME |) | <u>VIA EFS WEB</u> |

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

AMENDMENT AND REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

In response to the Decision on Appeal mailed July 31, 2012, Applicants file this Amendment and Reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 ("Amendment") with a Request for Continued Examination ("RCE") to reopen prosecution of this application. This Amendment satisfies the requirement for a "Submission" to accompany a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 filed herewith. Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of this application in view of the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the Claims begin at page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments follow the amendment section of this paper.